

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/591,428 Confirmation No.: 1426
Applicant : Claus FROHBURG, et al.
Filed : March 4, 2005
Title : PLANTS WITH INCREASED ACTIVITY OF A STARCH
PHOSPHORYLATING ENZYME
TC/Art Unit : 1638
Examiner: : Brent T. Page
Docket No. : 65084.000021
Customer No. : **21967**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME, REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Sir:

The following remarks are submitted pursuant to, and concurrently with, a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and are responsive to the Final Office Action mailed August 3, 2009 ("Office Action"), in the above-captioned application.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully petition for a two-month extension of time within which to submit a response, thereby extending the period within which to file a response up to and including January 3, 2009. Accordingly, Applicants submit that this submission is responsive within the paid-for extensions of time.

Please charge **Deposit Account No. 50-0206** in the amount of \$1300.00 to cover the RCE fee (\$810.00) and the two-month extension of time fee (\$490.00). Applicants believe that no other fees are due for entry of these amendments and remarks. Should any additional fees be required, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.